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Re:

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U.S. Application Serial No. 10/038,029

Filing Date: October 19, 2001

CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

Our Ref. No.: 051270-0277020

Dear Sir:

On August 4, 2005, an "Amendment and Election in Response to Restriction Requirement and Request to Change Inventorship" was filed with the Office to remove Masaya Kano as an inventor in the application. Subsequently, a communication dated November 15, 2006, a copy of which is attached, was issued by the Examiner granting the request.

On the face sheet of the letters patent issued on March 13, 2007 however, Masaya Kano incorrectly appears as an inventor. Accordingly, it is hereby requested that the enclosed Certificate of Correction for the above-referenced patent be processed to remove the name of Masaya Kano.

It is believed that no fee is required for this request due to the fact that the Office made the error of including Masaya Kano as an inventor. However, if a fee is necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee for the Certificate of Correction in the amount of \$100.00 to our Deposit Account No. 033975. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any deficiency in payment or credit any overpayment to the aforementioned account number. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

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Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the undersigned at 213-488-7584. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below: On title page, item 75 Inventor delete "Masaya Kano, Hamamatsu (JP);"								
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The request under 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b) filed 04 August 2005 is granted. Masaya Kano is hereby removed from the inventorship leaving only Takanori Shimizu.

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